

[English]

Development of Tourism in Tamil Nadu with Central Assistance

6140 SHRIK V THANGKABALU Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state the details of development of Tourism schemes which are currently in progress in Tamil Nadu with the assistance of Union Government?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRIMADHAVRAO SCINDIA) Development of tourism is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments. However, Central financial assistance is extended to the State Governments for specific projects, based on their merits, availability of funds and inter se priorities. Based on the above criteria and at the specific request of the State Government of Tamil Nadu, The Central Department of Tourism during 1991-92 have sanctioned seven project/schemes for augmentation of tourism infrastructure amounting to Rs 74.04 lakh which are in progress.

[Translation]

Telecast of Feature Films

6141 SHRI YASHWANTRAO PATIL Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state

(a) whether the feature films are being telecast which have been declared disqualified earlier,

(b) if so, the reasons therefor

(c) whether earlier telecast of films in alphabetical order has not been put into practice,

(d) if so the reasons therefor, and

(e) the steps being taken by the Government to telecast films in the order decided earlier?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARIGIRJAVYAS)

(a) and (b) Feature films found unsuitable for telecast by the Film Selection Committee of Doordarshan can be telecast, subsequently if on appeal they are found suitable by a Preview Committee

(c) Regional language films are normally telecast in alphabetical order on the National Network

(d) and (e) Do not arise

Guidelines for Doordarshan Commissioned Programmes

6142 SHRI CHINMAYANAND SWAMI Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state

(a) whether the guidelines for Doordarshan commissioned programmes have been framed in accordance with the order of Madras High Court

(b) if so the details thereof, and

(c) if not the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARIGIRJAVYAS)

(a) Yes, Sir

(b) The salient features of the revised guidelines are given in the Statement

(c) Does not arise